ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

BID OPENING: FRIDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2006 AT 11:00 A.M. (M.S.T.)

TRACS NO.: **060 MA 186 H670201C**

PROJECT NO.: **STP-060-C(200)B**

TERMINI: PHOENIX – GLOBE HIGHWAY (US 60)

LOCATION: **Higley Road T.I.**

ROUTE NO. MILEPOST DISTRICT ITEM NO. US 60 186.34 PHOENIX 14206

The amount programmed for this project is \$4,800,000.00. The location and description of the proposed work and the representative items and approximate quantities are as follows:

The proposed Widen Bridge work is located in Maricopa County within the City of Mesa, on the Superstition Freeway at Higley Road (MP 186.34). The work consists of widening the existing bridge and approach roadway; reconstructing existing curbs, sidewalks and medians; landscaping; pavement markings; signing; lighting; signals; utility removals and relocations; and other related work.

Roadway Excavation	Cu.Yd.	2,212
Aggregate Base (Class 2)	Cu.Yd.	2,543
Portland Cement Concrete Pavement (12")	Sq.Yd.	993
Bituminous Material	Ton	138
Asphaltic Concrete (3/4" Mix)	Ton	2,604
Pole	Each	18
Mast Arm (18 Ft. to 55 Ft.)	Each	22
Electrical Conduit (1" to 4")	L.Ft.	5,740
Pull Box	Each	22
Conductor	L.Ft.	7,690
Concrete Curb and Curb and Gutter	L.Ft.	3,462
Concrete Sidewalk	Sq.Ft.	7,051
Retaining Wall (B-18.10)	Sq.Ft.	88
Trainees	Hour	500
Contractor Quality Control	L.Sum	1
Construction Surveying and Layout	L.Sum	1
Concrete Bridge	L.Sum	1
RCB Culvert	L.Sum	1

The time allowed for the completion of the work included in the Construction Phase of the contract will be **240** calendar days.

The time allowed for the completion of the work included in the Landscape Establishment Phase of the contract will be 90 calendar days.

The Arizona Department of Transportation hereby notifies all bidders that pursuant to this advertisement for bids, Disadvantaged Business Enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this solicitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, sex, or national origin in consideration for an award.

Project plans, special provisions, and proposal pamphlets may be purchased from Contracts and Specifications Section, 1651 W. Jackson, Room 121F, Phoenix, AZ. 85007, (602) 712-7221. Plans and bidding documents should be available for sale to bidders within one week following the advertisement for bids. The cost is \$67.00, payable at time of order by cash, check or money order. Please indicate whether a bid proposal package or a subcontractor/supplier set is desired. An additional fee of \$5.00 will be charged for each set of Special Provisions requested which is not accompanied by the purchase of a related set of project plans. Checks should be made payable to the Arizona Department of Transportation. No refund will be made for plans and specifications returned. We cannot guarantee mail delivery.

This project is eligible for electronic bidding.

Cross sections and/or earthwork quantity sheets may be ordered from the Control Desk of Roadway Design Section at (602) 712-8667. Orders must be placed at least five days prior to bid opening to insure availability. Documents may be picked up and paid for at Contracts & Specifications Section.

No contracting firm will be issued a proposal pamphlet until it has become prequalified. The Application for Contractor Prequalification shall be filed at least 15 calendar days prior to the bid opening date. The Application may be obtained from Contracts and Specifications Section.

No award will be made to any contractor who is not a duly licensed contractor in accordance with Arizona Revised Statutes 32-1101 through 32-1170.03.

All labor employed on this project shall be paid in accordance with the minimum wage rates shown in the General Wage Decision. These rates have been determined in accordance with the requirements of the law and issued by the Secretary of Labor for this project. The wage scale is on file in Contracts and Specifications Section and copies may be obtained at all reasonable times.

A proposal guaranty in the form of either a certified or a cashier's check made payable to the State Treasurer of Arizona for not less than ten percent of the amount of the bid or in the form of a surety (bid) bond for ten percent of the amount of the bid shall accompany the proposal.

Surety (bid) bonds will be accepted only on the form provided by the Department and only from corporate sureties authorized to do business in Arizona.

Proposal pamphlets shall be submitted only in the envelope provided by the Department to:

Arizona Department of Transportation Intermodal Transportation Division Contracts and Specifications Section 1651 West Jackson Street, Room 121F Phoenix, Arizona 85007-3217 Sealed bids will be received until the hour indicated and then publicly opened and read. No bids will be received after the time specified.

		Phone	Fax
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